

# FOLIO

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## Ad Hoc Committee to Review Structure and Administration of Computing

To review the structure, and possible reorganization, of the administration of computing on campus, Peter Meekison has established an ad hoc committee, under the chairmanship of John Tartar.

The principal question to be addressed by this committee is whether to merge, or to continue to keep separate, the two major computing centres, Computing Services and the Office of Administrative Systems. The emphasis, Vice-President

(Academic) Meekison stresses, is not on a takeover of one unit by another. Rather, it is on the possible development of a new organizational structure which would enhance the service provided by the two computing centres. At present, the responsibility of the director of computing services is described as "the provision of academic computing services to the University"; the responsibility of the director of the office of administrative systems is the

provision "of high quality, innovative and cost-effective information systems and services to meet the administrative requirements of the University."

Dr. Meekison has asked *Folio* to let it be known that he welcomes input on this subject and that he invites written comments from members of the University community, addressing not only the principal question, but also other subsidiary issues of interest and concern.

Computing is organized in

different ways in Canadian and American universities, Dr. Meekison points out, and there is no one correct answer. What we need to find out is "the best organizational arrangement for computing in the University of Alberta environment."

Comments should be addressed to Dr. John Tartar, Associate Vice-President (Information Systems), 3-6 University Hall, before 6 October—sooner if possible. □

## Board of Governors Welcomes New Members

At its recent meeting on Friday, 5 September, the Board of Governors welcomed five new members: Chancellor Tevie Miller; Gouri Gourishankar, GFC representative; and three people appointed by the Minister of Advanced Education, Mary Lobay, Jake Superstein and Michael Welsh.

Following this welcome, the Board heard reports from its standing committees. The Educational Affairs Committee (EAC) proposed a cooperative education program in agricultural engineering and explained to members that cooperative education in the Engineering Faculty has been in place for several years. The proposal brought forward is an addition to what is already in place and will provide an opportunity for agricultural engineering students to obtain work experience which will complement their academic studies. The Board approved the proposal which will be a quota program (5-7

students), with entry in second year. The EAC also presented a number of information items including approval for a proposal for the establishment of the Alberta Centre of Surface and Interfacial Science; changes to the Code of Student Behavior; department chair appointments of Peter Mitchell (obstetrics and gynaecology), and Bryce Weir (surgery), to five-year terms effective 1 July, 1986; and its annual report covering activities during 1 July, 1985 to 30 June, 1986.

Finance Committee Chair, Gary Davidge, spent considerable time outlining the University's financial statements for the year ending 31 March, 1986. Following extensive explanations of the facts and figures, the Board approved the statements. Members also approved the extension of the mandatory laboratory fee of \$30 to students who are enrolled in the recently implemented accelerated program in occupational therapy. A

recommendation from the Finance Committee to increase the special sessions fee for summer internships/fieldwork placements of students in the Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine, effective with the 1987 spring session, received Board approval as well. The final committee item was the approval of a lease agreement between the University and the Hospitals concerning our occupancy in the Walter C. Mackenzie Health Sciences Centre.

The Board's Building Committee had three items on its approval agenda including a motion for a revised sum, not to exceed \$11.5 million, for the proposed expansion to the University's heating plant. Another motion which received approval was the 1987-88 preliminary capital grant request to the provincial government. In addition, the Board gave its approval for an expenditure of not more than \$440,000 for the first phase of renovations on the west

side of the fifth floor of the Medical Sciences building for the anatomy department. The Committee presented members with a number of information items among which were the adoption of the the consultant's report, volume one, as the University's heating plant long range development plan, and approval to proceed with design, tendering and construction of the project; an expenditure of not more than \$395,000 for the installation of a Mux Control System in the heating plant; an expenditure of not more than \$298,000 to relocate staff offices, renovate space for the mold herbarium, and to provide public washrooms at the Devonian Botanic Gardens; received recommendations approved by the Planning and Priorities Committee for allocation and distribution of the 1986-87 capital equipment replacement grant and for allocation of capital renovation funds for 1986-87. □

## Introducing Poison Prevention and Control (PAC) and 'Poison Paul'

Two hundred children die from poisoning every year in Alberta, sixty percent of them under the age of six. Most of these deaths could have been prevented if people only knew what to do when little Mikey gorges himself on aspirin or drinks gasoline from a pop bottle he's found in the garage.

To educate the public about poisoning and its treatment and prevention, medical students, joined by students from nursing and pharmacy, have developed an innovative poison prevention and control program, that they have named Poison PAC (Prevention And Control).

Beginning in the fall, teams of students will make pre-planned visits to communities throughout the province to present informative, easily-understandable seminars on this topic. In addition, they will distribute Poison PACs—portable kits containing instructions for what to do when a

poisoning occurs; syrup of ipecac; activated charcoal suspension; a coloring book with a theme of poisoning prevention; plus information about PADIS, the agency based in Calgary Foothills Hospital that handles poisoning emergency calls via a toll-free number. "Poison Paul" warning stickers are also included, along with several smaller items.

"Poison Paul" stickers are a way of warning children off uneatables and undrinkables. Showing a child clutching his throat, with tongue protruding and eyes bulging, the message is clear when the label is stuck on bottles and containers: "YUK! Don't eat or drink this!"

That this message needs to be clearly conveyed is obvious from the exhibit now in the main foyer of the Mackenzie Health Sciences Centre, where common candy is displayed beside dispensed medications and poisons to show how much alike they look. Lysol in

a pop bottle, for instance, is a dead ringer for apple juice.

Poison PACs will eventually be available to the public through community pharmacies.

Funding for this program has come from a number of sources. A donation from the Alma Mater Fund got it started. Other donors include the Edmonton Jaycees, the Medical Students' Association, the Faculty of Medicine and the Government of Alberta. Further support is being sought from still other sources.

Members of the University community who have comments or helpful suggestions are invited to send them to: Poison PAC, 2-123 CSB, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta T6G 1G3. Telephone: 432-6492.

Notices of Poison PAC presentations will be placed in community newspapers in advance. □

## Concert Season Starts with Two Recitals by Albright

From 28 September to 11 October, the Department of Music will be host to Distinguished Visiting Professor William Albright of Michigan State University. During his stay, Dr. Albright will present two recitals. The first on 1 October, features his own works. Both recitals will take place in Convocation Hall beginning at 8 p.m.

Dr. Albright will also present two series of lectures. The first series (30 September and 2, 7 and 9 October) will deal with Dr. Albright's own music; the second series, (3, 6 and 10 October) will deal with contemporary music. All of these events are being presented free of charge.

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## Alberta Microelectronic Centre President Appointed

John Zupancic, Chairman of the Board of the Alberta Microelectronic Centre (AMC), has announced the appointment of John Murray as President and Chief Executive Officer.

Murray brings 19 years of microelectronics experience to his new position, which took effect on 2 September. Prior to joining AMC, he was Vice-President of Operations of Austria Microsystems International, the European affiliate of Gould-AMI, Santa Clara, California.

The AMC President has also worked in Korea, Japan, the Philippines and Europe as well as for the Silicon Valley companies Fairchild Semiconductor, Amelco Semiconductor and Precision Monolithics.

The Alberta Microelectronic Centre was established at the Universities of Alberta and Calgary to assist Alberta's growing electronics industry with the design and manufacture of leading edge products which can be marketed world-wide.

In 1985, the Alberta Government committed \$13 million over three years toward starting the Centre.

The Hon. Les Young, Minister of Technology, Research and Telecommunications, welcomed Murray's appointment, stating that the Centre is a vital building block for Alberta's manufacturers and service companies. "When fully operational, the Microelectronic Centre will play a central role in the expansion of the Alberta Electronics Industry. Its presence will draw other medium- to large-sized companies to locate and expand in our province," he said.

AMC recently attracted the attention of LSI Logic Corporation of California, a leading microelectronics company, and in January of this year LSI signed an agreement with the Government of Alberta to provide AMC with access to its sophisticated "2 micron technology" for use in fabrication and design.

The state-of-the-art research and development facilities also provide scholarships for future engineers and industry access to advanced IC technology and will play a prominent role in the expansion of the electronics industry across Alberta. □

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The first concert in the department's "Encounters" series will be held on 5 October. Performers include Department of Music faculty members, Edmonton Symphony players, and members of

Edmonton's music community. Among the works to be performed are Lassus' Psalmus Poenitentialis I, Weber's Grand Duo Concertante, Opus 48, Indian Music, and Hindemith's Sonata for Two Pianos. A nominal admission fee of \$5 for adults and \$3 for students

and seniors will be charged. The concert will take place in Convocation Hall beginning at 8 p.m.

Note: Although the interior of the Arts Building is being renovated, Convocation Hall will continue to be used by the Department of

Music. Unfortunately, due to the construction there will be a few inconveniences, including no wheelchair access, and a bit of a hike to the nearest washroom facilities located in the Business Building. □

## Advisory Committee on Professional Development for APOs

The Advisory Committee on Professional Development for APOs which reports to the Vice-President (Administration), is now completing its second year of operations. It was established on 1 October 1984 to promote career development for APOs by providing opportunities for personal growth and increased challenges and to strive for maximum benefit to the University of Alberta through a well trained and highly motivated staff. The Committee's objectives are:

1. To develop responsible programs for professional development of Administrative and Professional Officers.
2. To ensure career progression for Administrative/Professional Officers which is in the best interest of both the officer and the University.
3. To keep APOs apprised of existing programs for career development on campus and to alert them to programs offered elsewhere.
4. To ensure that the financial assistance provided by the University of Alberta in regard to professional development programs for APOs results in cost-effective programs and that APOs are fully informed of the various sources of assistance.
5. To consider applications for financial assistance and to carry out other administrative tasks when requested to do so by the Vice-President (Administration).
6. To investigate other matters and to develop policies which are related to the general spirit of the Committee's mission.

Meetings are at the call of the Chair, but normally the Committee meets four times a year in September, December, March and June.

During the past two years, the Committee has dealt with a variety of issues including revised policies and procedures for the advertising and recruitment of APOs. The objective was to promote opportunities for internal

promotions and career development for APOs.

The Committee has also developed revised policies and procedures for the Central Staff Travel and Professional Development Fund—a source of financial assistance for APOs in the Support Departments comparable to the Staff Travel funds available to APOs in the Faculties. Furthermore, under the Committee's auspices, a significantly expanded training and development program for APOs has been established. It consists of monthly workshops and noon-hour informational sessions designed to enhance the personal growth and professional expertise of administrative staff. This program also endeavours to respond to the priorities determined through a needs survey which had been conducted earlier last year with APOs.

As an alternative to on-campus training, the Committee has reviewed external instructional programs such as the certificate program of the Canadian Institute of Certified Administrative Managers. More recently, the Committee developed distinctive policies and procedures concerning the selection of three APOs for the annual Banff Management Program sponsored by the Canadian Association of University Business Officers.

The Committee has also initiated a job trading program which offers APOs an opportunity for job enrichment and professional development.

Most recently a sub-committee of the Professional Development Committee has been reviewing the current policies on professional development leaves with a view to broadening the scope and utilization rate of these programs.

The Committee invites all staff who are interested in its mandate to submit suggestions for further improvements and to raise any concerns that they may have. □



### Heavy Hitter Coming Up

There was an outburst of athleticism recently as students took on the administration in a softball game at Corbett Hall and the annual Faculty Golf Tournament was held at the Highlands Golf Club. Here, Terry White is about to take his cuts. The administration, dubbed the "geritol set" by the opposition, prevailed by a count of 26-20 but the game only went six innings and the winners were starting to circle the wagons. There will be a rematch at the end of September. At Highlands, Rikk Alderman (Physical Education and Sport Studies) topped the men's field and Shirley Main (Western Board of Music) emerged as women's champion. The runners-up were Peter Miller (Education) and J.I. Watkin (English). Ninety-one people participated in the tournament and prizes were donated by a number of businesses, including Labatt's, Chapman Bros. and Val Berg's.

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## University Playing Role in Public Library's Videocassette Lending Operation

The University's Department of Radio and Television is participating in an Edmonton Public Library pilot project in videocassette lending that provides "alternatives to those titles readily available from retail video outlets."

The Public Library Board's year-long VHS format lending service is operating out of the Audio-Visual Division of the Main Library with loans available to all

patrons through the Library's "placehold" systems.

Radio and Television's contribution to the project is a set of 45 tapes of University productions dating back to 1979. Titles, which include the 30-minute profile of the University, "Whatever Things Are True," were selected by a Library committee, and loan activity is being tracked by computer to

determine their popularity.

The Public Library's list of alternative titles demonstrates the great variety of "non-Hollywood" material that is available to VCR owners and which is now as conveniently available as borrowing a book—although the Library cautions that some waits may be necessary.

The "Videocassette list" is at the Main Library and branches. □

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## EFF Deadline Dates May Differ

*Folio* of 4 September 1986 contains a full page advertisement pertaining to Endowment Fund for the Future deadline dates. A change to the section "Support for the Advancement of Scholarship" is in order. The revised wording is: "Large Faculties: departments are reminded that application is through their Deans, whose deadlines may be different than those noted above." □

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### Partial Solar Eclipse

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## Physics Building Has a Room With a View

A partial eclipse of the sun will be visible from Edmonton on the morning of Friday, 3 October. The eclipse will begin at approximately 11:13 a.m. and end at 1:09 p.m. (MDT). At maximum, approximately 35 percent of the solar disc will be occulted by the moon.

This eclipse is unusual in that it will be both annular and total (as well as partial outside the central path). In a total eclipse the umbral (central) shadow of the moon intercepts earth's surface. In an annular eclipse the vertex of the umbral shadow does not quite reach earth's surface. The 3 October eclipse begins as annular just west of Iceland. The moon's shadow sweeps west and south from there, briefly touches earth's surface at latitude 59°54' and longitude 37°25' where the eclipse will be total for one-third of a second (!), then lifts again to end as an annular eclipse in the mid-Atlantic.

The event can be safely observed using #14 (or darker) welders' glass, a pin-hole camera, or by projection.

The Campus Observatory on the 7th floor of the Physics Building will be open from 11 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. weather permitting. The 0.3m telescope is used to observe the sun by projection. The 0.4m telescope is equipped with an H-alpha filter for direct viewing.

For additional information, telephone Doug Hube at 432-5410. □

Every year in Alberta in the fall there are thousands of new opportunities. This is when adults have another chance to develop professionally or personally (or simply to have fun) by choosing to enrol in one of the thousands of programs offered by the many education agencies in the province.

To make it easier to find out what's available from the different organizations (who offer an enormous variety of courses in a number of locations), more than 50 educational agencies from throughout the province have combined to offer one-stop

shopping in "a free afternoon extravaganza of information and entertainment."

"Living and Learning Expo 86" is taking place at the Edmonton Convention Centre on Sunday, 5 October, from 1 to 7 p.m. Community colleges, vocational centres, technical institutes and universities will be among the exhibitors, and the Faculty of Extension, Faculté Saint-Jean and its Education Permanente division, and the Office of the Registrar will be there too, with staff members to answer questions and give out information.

Live entertainment scheduled throughout the afternoon will include the big Fringe hit "Scrambled Feet" by The Leave It To Jane Theatre; an improvisational performance by the group Theatresports; and dancing by Cheremshyna (a troupe from the Alberta Ukrainian Dance Association).

"Living and Learning Expo 86" is open to the general public; admission is free; door prizes include two air tickets to Vancouver. □

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## Exhibition of Ozias Leduc Landscapes Small But Telling

This year, the Ring House Gallery's fall calendar features unique and rare exhibitions. One of the most interesting of these is *Contemplative Scenes, the Landscapes of Ozias Leduc*.

It is a small exhibition which focuses on the landscapes of Canadian painter Ozias Leduc (1864-1955). The 12 paintings, virtually the sum total of Leduc's scenes, were painted in and around his birthplace of Mont Saint-Hilaire, Quebec, between 1913 and 1921.

"He was a solitary man, a person who was very highly respected and out of the main stream. Leduc's paintings of the Quebec countryside are really special. They are not frequently seen and we could not pass up the opportunity to have 12 of his works on exhibit. His art is a great part of Canadian history and French heritage," explains Ring House Gallery curator Helen Collinson.

A spiritual man, Leduc painted as an act of faith and believed that all

art was symbolic.

The mystical theme behind Leduc's landscapes was researched by curator Louise Beaudry. Beaudry based her conclusions of the religious symbolism in Leduc's work after examining every aspect of the painter's life.

"In attempting to support my hypothesis, I have based my research exclusively on an examination of the artist's personal papers, his lecture notes, his writings on art and on God and, finally his poetry. These sources all reveal the importance of the role played by painting in the artist's spiritual life," wrote Beaudry.

The exhibit illustrates the importance of this highly personal symbolism which permeates his work. The landscapes may appear, at first glance, to be straight-forwardly secular works, intimist or "romantic" in nature. Closer scrutiny, however, reveals them to be laden with symbols of quite a different kind. Known principally for his many church

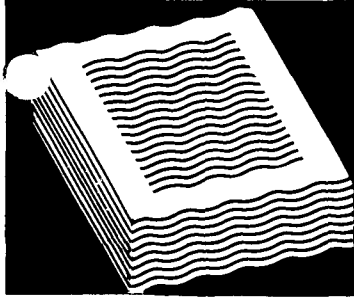
murals, Leduc infused into his landscapes a very special atmosphere—and just as Beaudry found—with mystical, or even religious, overtones.

"The name of the exhibition is *Contemplative* and it is quite contemplative stuff. People will feel a mysticism about his paintings but won't be hit over the head with it. Instead the paintings will reach the inner tranquility in people. Each stroke was brushed on with love," explains Collinson.

The travelling exhibition has been prepared by the Extension Services of the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts and is accompanied by a catalogue written by Louise Beaudry.

This catalogue will be on sale at the Ring House Gallery until the exhibition's closing on 12 October. It not only contains Beaudry's findings but much of the artist's own writings. Each exhibit painting is explained in full detail and some are presented in beautiful color plates. □

## Currents



### Conference Fund

The Conference Fund of the University may provide modest financial support for conferences, conventions and symposia of an academic nature (as distinct from visiting lectureships) held in the province and sponsored or hosted by the University or its students or student organizations. The Fund is administered by a Conference Funds Committee of General Faculties Council and is the only fund in the University for this purpose. All applications for grants should be submitted to the Chairman of the Committee. Special application forms are available, along with related information sheets. The Chairman is B.J. Busch, Humanities and Social Sciences Library, Rutherford North, telephone 432-3794.

### Campus Reviews

As part of the process of carrying out systematic reviews under the guidance of the President's Advisory Committee on Campus Reviews (PACCR), the Department of Religious Studies is completing the self-study phase of the review process. The other major phase of the process is the site visit and assessment by the Unit Review Committee. In preparation for this second phase, PACCR invites written comment prior to 17 October 1986. Submissions are for the use of the Unit Review Committee and will be held in confidence by the members of that committee.

Submissions should be sent to: Mrs. Shirley Moore, Co-ordinator, PACCR Office, W4-13 Chemistry Building, Attention: The Department of Religious Studies Unit Review Committee.

### Campus Reviews

As part of the process of carrying out systematic reviews under the guidance of the President's Advisory Committee on Campus Reviews (PACCR), the Department of Occupational Therapy is completing the self-study phase of the review process. The other major phase of the process is the site visit and assessment by the Unit Review Committee. In preparation for this second phase, PACCR invites written comment prior to 24 October 1986. Submissions are for the use of the Unit Review Committee and will be held in confidence by the members of that committee.

Submissions should be sent to: Mrs. Shirley Moore, Co-ordinator, PACCR Office, W4-13 Chemistry Building, Attention: The Department of Occupational Therapy Unit Review Committee.

### Dried Flowers Sale

The University of Alberta Botanic Garden Club's annual sale of dried flowers, carefully crafted arrangements, ornamental grasses, herbs, potpourri and flower craft supplies continues on 26 and 27 September at Southgate Shopper's Mall (near the fountain). Times are 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. on the 26th and 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on the 27th.

Club members will be present to demonstrate the art of drying and arranging.

### Under the Gavel

The next University of Alberta and Edmonton Public Schools Auction will be on 27 September at 9 a.m. The address is 14640 115 Avenue. Previewing on 26 September from 4 to 8 p.m.

### Extension Courses Brochure

The fall brochure for the Extension Faculty's Applied Behavioral Sciences courses is available by calling 432-5069.

### Communications Courses

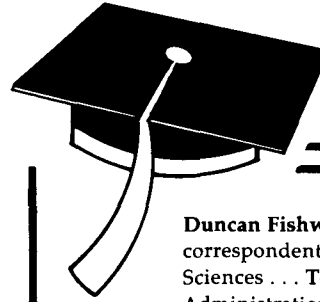
The Extension Faculty is presenting this term courses dealing with interpersonal communications in areas such as assertion training, conflict management, public speaking, and overcoming shyness. For further information or a brochure, call 432-5069.

## University Professorships

The Selection Committee for University Professors will be considering nominees for University Professorships later in the Fall. This title honours professors whose academic, professional and community contributions have been exceptionally meritorious.

Nominations should be submitted to the Vice-President (Academic), no later than 30 October 1986, but before making any nomination persons are asked to study the criteria, copies of which may be obtained from Mrs. Pamela Plaskitt, 2-5 University Hall (432-4715).

## Activities



**Duncan Fishwick** (Classics) has been elected a correspondent of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Sciences . . . **Tee L. Guidotti** (Health Service

Administration and Community Medicine) has been elected to full Fellowship in the American College of Chest Physicians . . . **David C. Secord**, formerly Director, SMR Animal Centre, was recently appointed Special Assistant to the Vice-President (Research) . . . University Professor **L.C. Green** delivered a paper on the "Internationalization of Human Rights" at Université Laval's Fourth International Conference on Constitutional Law and opened the discussion on "Terrorism" and "The Prosecution of War Criminals" at the London Conference of the Advisory Panel on International Law . . . **Albert Einsiedel** (Local Government Studies) was re-elected Chairman of the Trans-Canadian Assessment Training Program Steering Committee. The committee, established in April 1985, is laying the foundation for the establishment of a national training program for property assessment . . . **Bente Roed Cochran** attended the Sixth Annual Conference on Teaching and Learning in Higher Education held at the University of Guelph in June. She presented two reports; one on the IDQ System of evaluation of courses and instruction, and one on the orientation session for GTAs from non-English speaking countries . . . University Professor **Karol Krótki**, graduate student **David Odynak** and two colleagues from other universities delivered the paper "Family well-being and family size in the Canadian Fertility Survey of 1984." The occasion was the Canadian Economics Association's meeting in Winnipeg. Other papers were presented to the Canadian Population Society ("First Time Worker, First Time Wife, First Time Mother"), to the 28th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology at Albufeira, Portugal ("Income, relative income, and subjective well-being: some cross-cultural comparisons"), and to the 54th Congress of the Association Canadienne-Française pour l'Avancement des Sciences in Montreal ("A la recherche des nouvelles mentalités à l'égard du mariage"). Dr. Krótki's invited lecture before the Royal Society of Canada was titled "The Demographic Realities of the Prairies" . . . **Jay Bishop** (Educational Psychology) read a paper at the 18th World Congress of OMEP in Jerusalem. The work was on "Insight in the Young Child."

### Faculty Curling League

The University Faculty Curling League is now accepting applications from interested teams and individuals for the 1986-87 season. There will be 21 games between 29 September and 16 March. They will be played every Monday at 5 p.m. at the Shamrock Curling Club, 9330 80 Avenue. The fee for the season is \$85 per person. Brian MacPherson (Anatomy, 432-3356) is handling registration.

### Physical Fitness Study

Eight healthy men between 35 and 55 years of age are needed to participate in an exercise training program. The program will involve riding a stationary bicycle for 30 minutes a day, three times per week for eight weeks. Cardiovascular fitness and muscular strength and endurance will be assessed. Bob Haennel (432-4035, 475-5516) has complete details.



## 'The Future of Public Broadcasting' to be Debated

Hard on the heels of the release of the federal Task Force on Broadcasting Policy is the first public debate on the group's recommendations.

That debate has been scheduled for 28 September in the auditorium of Faculté Saint-Jean, 8406 91 Street. Starting time is 10 a.m.

Francophone communities outside of Québec have long pleaded with the CRTC and Radio-Canada for better service in the second official language. Jean-Pierre Roy of CHFA Edmonton says the list of wants includes access to the private French television network through cable, criticisms directed at existing programming policy of the French network of CBC, or, as is the case north of the 60th parallel, requests for a French service.

The following topics have been singled out for discussion: the cultural and technical aspects of

broadcasting in francophone minority regions; the role of community radio; the accessibility to new communication technologies, including satellite channels.

Keith Spicer, journalist and the first Commissioner of Official Languages, will serve as moderator. Panelists will be Florian Sauvageau, Co-President of the Task Force; Charles Bélanger, Consultant, Cancom; and Aurèle Thériault, Director-General, La Fédération des Francophones Hors-Québec (the umbrella organization of French Canadian provincial associations).

Jean-Pierre Roy of radio station CHFA says that while the forum is open to the public, the matters discussed might be of specific interest to professionals and students in communications and the humanities.

The forum will be broadcast on the French CBC Radio network. □

## University of Alberta 75th Anniversary Lectures

*Tuesday, September 30:*

### **The Famine Fighters**

Dr. D. Paarlberg,  
Professor Emeritus, Purdue University  
*The Nathaniel H. Grace Lectureship  
in Agriculture*

*Tuesday, October 14:*

### **Wood Chips to Computer Chips — Will Canada Change?**

Dr. Gordon MacNabb, Past President Natural  
Sciences and Engineering Council of Canada  
*Robert M. Hardy Lectureship in Engineering*

**All lectures will take place at 4 p.m.  
in Lecture Theatre 1, Humanities Centre,  
University of Alberta.**

Admission is free and the public is urged to attend this important lecture.

Sponsored by the Alberta Research Council in recognition of the 75th Anniversary of the University of Alberta

## Mobile Research Unit Donated

A truck and trailer combination has been donated to the University by Alberta Occupational Health and Safety. Departments interested in using this unit should contact the Vehicle Pool Division at 436-1616 to inspect for their use.

The unit will be available for use as per the policy and procedures that apply to vehicles obtained from the Vehicle Pool. □

## Surplus Equipment

*The equipment appearing in this column is available only to University departments with University-administered funds. For more information, telephone Jody Brookwell or Roy Bennett, 432-3208.*

For Sale: (3) Reichert Jung Monocular Microscopes, (30) Carl Zeiss Jena Monocular Microscopes c/w mechanical stage and objectives.

Robert Venketraman, Anatomy, 432-2206.

Spectral Dynamics 360 dual channel digital signal processor, complete with 12-bit signal acquisition unit, X-Y display, manuals and transport cases. Performs 1024-point FFT's, auto- and cross-correlations, convolutions, signal averaging, etc. on signals between 0.01 Hz and 150 KHz. Good condition. D. Routledge, Electrical Engineering, 432-5668.

## Talks

### **Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences**

25 September, 3:30 p.m. Marianne Greer, PhD candidate, University of Texas at Austin, "Analysis of Community Practice: Clinical Decision-making Skills in Pharmacy Students." Huston Conference Room, 3123 Dentistry-Pharmacy Centre.

### **Political Science**

26 September, noon. André Blais, Department of Political Science, Université de Montréal, "Is There a Change in Québec Electoral Politics? What the Data of the Last Provincial Election Shows." 10-4 Tory Building.

### **Education Students' Association**

26 September, 3:30 p.m. Carol Cohn, "Critical Thinking in the Classroom." 2-115 Education North. Admission is free to all ESA members and academic staff. \$2 admission fee for all non-members.

### **Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies**

26 September, 7:30 p.m. Jaroslaw Iwanus, "Ukraine's Medieval Heritage in the

Thought of Mykola Kostomarov." Heritage Lounge, Athabasca Hall.

## UAYs and WISEST

27 September, 9 a.m. Rosalyn Yalow, winner of the 1977 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine, "But Can You Type—Pathways to a Nobel Prize." Floor Cafeteria, Education North. R.S.V.P. to M.A. Armour, 432-5566.

## St. Joseph's College

29 September, 8 p.m. Most Reverend John Michael Sherlock, Bishop of London, Ontario, "Faith and Culture in the Western World." (Opening lecture in a series which is part of the celebrations of the College's 60th anniversary.) L-1 Humanities Centre.

## CITL

30 September, 10 a.m. Peter Lown, Barrister and Solicitor, Faculty of Law, "Copyright." TB-W2 Tory Building.  
2 October, 3 p.m. Peter Lown, "Copyright." TB-W2 Tory Building.  
6 and 8 October, 2 p.m. Jennie Wilting, Mental Health Consultant, Grant MacEwan Community College, "Problem Solving." TB-W2 Tory Building.  
7 October, 4 p.m. Lois Marckworth Stanford and Robyn Mott, "Improve Teaching Through Peer Consultation." 2-33 Humanities Centre.

## Club IDC

1 October, 3:30 p.m. Dipika Fernandez, "Women and Development in India." 5-180 Education North.

## Centre for Research in Child Development and Psychology

2 October, 12:30 p.m. Harold W. Stevenson, University of Michigan, "Parents' and Children's Expectations About Achievement in Chinese, Japanese, and American Families." Cw-410 Biological Sciences Centre.  
3 October, 9:30 a.m. Professor Stevenson, "Mathematics Achievement in Chinese, Japanese, and American Children." CW-410 Biological Sciences Centre.

## Limnology and Fisheries Discussion Group

2 October, 12:30 p.m. Ron Wallace, Dominion Ecological Consulting, "Hydrocarbon From Oilsands Mining Operations as a Determinant for Water Quality." G-217 Biological Sciences Centre.  
9 October, 12:30 p.m. Pat Chambers, "Light, Nutrients and the Growth of Aquatic Macrophytes." G-217 Biological Sciences Centre.

## English

2 October, 3:30 p.m. Geoffrey V. Davis, Institut Für Anglistik, Rheinisch-Westfälischen Technischen Hochschule, Aachen, West Germany, "Life on the Black Side of the Fence: Forced Removals and the Migrant Labour System in Recent Black African Writing." 6-40 Humanities Centre.

## Comparative Literature

3 October, 3 p.m. Margaret Johnson, "Oral Reading and Emotional Responses." L-2 Humanities Centre. (First lecture in a series of weekly lectures).  
10 October, 3 p.m. Barbara Ailding, "Psychology of Karen Horney and the Literary Criticism of *L'Immoraliste*." L-2 Humanities Centre.



## Nursing

6 October, 4 p.m. Marilyn Dodd, Associate Professor, Vice-Chairperson, Department of Physiological Nursing, University of California, San Francisco, "Problems, Approaches and Priorities in Physiological Nursing Research." 6-101 Biological Sciences Building. Funded by the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research.

## Classics

7 October, 11 a.m. Reinhold Merkelbach, Professor of Classics, Cologne University, "The Consequences of Writing for Greek Civilisation." L-1 Humanities Centre.

## Forest Science

8 October, noon. Joseph Niederleitner, MSc candidate, "A Methodology for Habitat Supply Analysis." 4-1 Mechanical Engineering Building.

## Women's Program and Resource Centre

8 October, 7:30 p.m. Lisa Steele, "Images of Women." L-2 Humanities Centre.  
9 October, 7:30 p.m. Lisa Steele will show her video, "Positive Alternative Images of Women." L-3 Humanities Centre. Co-sponsored by Latitude 53 Gallery Video Committee and the Vice-President's Advisory Committee on Women's Studies.

## Canadian Mediterranean Institute

9 October, 7:30 p.m. Robert Buck, "The Massy of Liutprand of Cremona to Constantinople." Auditorium, Provincial Museum.

## Zoology

10 October, 3:30 p.m. Cas Lindsay, Department of Zoology, University of British Columbia, "Why Do Fish Have So Many Parts?" M-149 Biological Sciences Centre.

## The Arts

### Ring House Gallery

Until 12 October. "Contemporary British Drawings"—an exhibition of 90 works on paper by 22 British artists showing the diversity of the drawing medium in Britain in the 1960s and 1970s.  
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### Bruce Peel Special Collections Library

Exhibitions on view: "The English Civil War and Interregnum: 1642-1660" and "L'histoire du Costumie Féminin Français de l'an 1037 à l'an 1870".

## UB Theatre

27 September, 8 p.m. "9 1/2 Weeks."  
27 September, 8 p.m. "Kiss of the Spider Woman."  
28 September, 8 p.m. "Gung Ho."

## Edmonton Film Society

29 September, 8 p.m. International Series—"Experienced Preferred—But Not Essential." TL-11 Tory Lecture Theatre.

## The Edmonton Chamber Music Society

1 October, 8 p.m. Orford String Quartet open the Society's silver anniversary season with an all-Beethoven concert. Admission by season membership only, available at SUB Box Office, Woodward's, and the door. SUB Theatre.

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Eleven Rhodes Scholarships are now open for Canadian students and will be awarded late in November. Applications must be in by 24 October 1986.

These Scholarships are tenable at the University of Oxford, England, and the value is at least £10,000 per year. They are granted for two years with the possibility of a third year. Scholars may follow courses of study of their own choice. They are required to go to Oxford in October of 1987.

Selection is made on the basis of school and college records without written examination. The qualities which will be considered in making the selection are: literary and scholastic attainment; fondness and success in outdoor sports, qualities of truthfulness, courage, devotion to duty, sympathy for and protection of the weak, kindness, unselfishness and fellowship; exhibition of moral force of character and of instincts to lead and to take an interest in one's contemporaries. Qualities of both character and intellect are the most important requirements for a Rhodes Scholarship and these are what the Selection Committees will seek. Financial need does not receive special consideration.

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A candidate must:

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- (2) have been born between 2 October 1962 and 1 October 1968;
- (3) have completed at least three years of university training by 1 October 1987.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from University Registrars, from the office of the General Secretary for the Rhodes Scholarships in Canada, P.O. Box 48, Toronto-Dominion Centre, Toronto, Ontario M5K 1E6 (413-362-1812), or from D.P. Jones, Secretary, Alberta Selection Committee, 459 Law Centre, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta T6G 2H5.

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